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Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina,
Inc.'s Notice of Election to Operate Pursuant to S.C.
Code Ann. §58-9-576 (C)

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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

September 22, 2014

Ms. Jocelyn G. Boyd
Chief Clerk
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
PO Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: **Non-Docket Matter** – MetTel's Notice of Election to Operate
Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-576(C)

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On behalf of Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina, Inc. ("MetTel"), enclosed please find the Notice of Election to Operate Pursuant to South Carolina Code §58-9-576(C). As no Commission Action is necessary, we respectfully request that the Commission post this Notice on its website as a Non-Docketed item.

Additionally, MetTel elects to withdraw its current Tariff in its entirety.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Sam Vogel
EVP Product Management &
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Enclosure

cc: C. Dukes Scott, Esq., Executive Director, Office of Regulatory Staff
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S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-576 (C))

**METROPOLITAN TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, INC.'S
NOTICE OF ELECTION TO OPERATE PURSUANT TO S.C. CODE ANN. § 58-9-576(C)**

Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina, Inc. ("MetTel") respectfully submits its notice that it elects to have its rates, terms, and conditions for its local exchange services determined pursuant to the plan described in S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-576(C). As the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") has approved local interconnection agreements in which MetTel is a participant with an unaffiliated entity¹, MetTel complies with subsection (A)(1) and, therefore, is entitled to make this election². Accordingly, this election will become effective on October 23, 2014.

Respectfully submitted this 22nd day of September, 2014.

By: _____


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¹ See Commission Directive, *Agreement between BellSouth Telecommunications, Incorporated and Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina, Incorporated*, Docket No. 2003-85-C (October 8, 2005) (approving Interconnection Agreement); see also Commission Directive, *Agreement between United Telephone Company of the Carolinas, LLC d/b/a Embarq and Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina, Incorporated d/b/a MetTel*, Docket No. 2009-406-C (October 28, 2009) (approving Interconnection, Collocation and Resale Agreement); see also Commission Directive, *Agreement between Windstream South Carolina, LLC and Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina, Incorporated d/b/a MetTel*, Docket No. 2013-253-C (July 10, 2013) (approving Resale Agreement); see also Commission Directive, *Agreement between Verizon South, Incorporated and Metropolitan Telecommunications of South Carolina, Incorporated*, Docket No. 2003-148-C (February 13, 2008) (approving Amendment 2 to Interconnection Agreement).

² See S.C. Code Ann. §58-9-576(C); *Id.* §58-9-576(A)(1).